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號九月二十英

minal; its shell is 1-inch Plate boit Lowmoor CHIPPING Orders, must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 18th inst, for shipment per steamer "NES | OR." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, Sth December, 890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

> CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer onerged into Craft, a landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the

Goods undelivered after the 13th December, . will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 8th December, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "ULYSSES" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignous risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the Doors open at 8.30 P.M., to commence at 9 P.M. 6th December 1880. Goods undelivered after the 11th December,

1880, will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 6th .: ecember, 1880. CCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL STEAM-

NOTICE.

SHIP COMPANY.

are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Company's Godowns at Wanchai, from whence delivery may be obtained on countersignature of Bills of Goods remaining unclaimed after the 17th

instant will be subject to rout.

No Fire Insurance has been effected CHAS. H. HASWELL, Jun., Hongkong, 7th December, 1880. TOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "NIIGATA MARU," FROM KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. Consignees of Cargo by the above Yessel

are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after TUESDAY, the 7th December, will be landed and stored at Consignees' expense

No Fire Insurance will be effected. MITSU BISHI MAIL S.S. CO., No. 50A, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 6th December, 1880.

STEAMSHIP "JAPAN," FROM CAL. CUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGA ORE. FILE above Stoamer having arrived, Con-

signess of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the P.M. Undersigned for Countersignature and to take 1479 immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding her discharge or remaining on board after the 10th instant, will be landed M I L L A R & C O., DRIME GENEVER in Stone Jars; MARTEL and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.; . Agents.

Henskong, 6th December, 1880. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINUAPORE.

HE Steamship Captain R. Böhme, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed, that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence " from the Wharves or Captain E. Billinge, will be despatched on or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded, unless notice to the contrary be given before Two P.M.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 10th instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 6th December, 1880. [1w1881 NTOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE,

The Steamship Captain Grandin, having arrived from the abovenamed Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby

Undersigned for Countersignature, and to take openpied by the National Bank of India. immediate delivery of their Goods from vessel's Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at risk and

expense of Consignees, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned before the 15th inst. or they will not be recognized. RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1880. [10d1879 FROM CALCUTTA PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness | value of the vessel only, when raised, for which of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their the work can be undertaken, and the declared Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Counter- percentage must include all claims. signature and to take immediate delivery of their | TENDERS must be lodged in Penang on or be-

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining LANDS, BUTTERY & Co., who do not bind themon board after the 9th instant will be at once selves to accept the lowest or any Tender, landed and stored in the Godowns of the Under signed at East Point at Consignees' risk and expense, and subjected to rent: JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1880. [1w1880 FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. HE Steamship

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, are being landed

at their risk into the Godowns of the Under signed, whence and from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY the 2nd December. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 9th instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHEBON & Co. Hongkong, 2nd December, 1880. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex "DJEMNAH."

&c., &c., with the Punti and Mandarin Pronun- M. ) Order, 147 Bags Sharp Stones. from Ma. ject to rent and landing charges. AE dras. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

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"GLAUCUS." Captain T. S. Jackson, will be despatched at NOON TO-DAY, the 9th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents Hougkoug, 8th December, 1-80. FOR SHANGHAI

HE Sleamship "NINGPO." aptain R. Cass, will be despatched for the above Port TU-DAY, the 9th instant, at Four P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMESEN & Co.

Hongkong, 9th December, 1880, FOR HOIHOW AND HAIPHONG. HE Steamship " ESMERALDA." Captain "labot, will be despatched for the above

Ports TO-DAY, the 9th instant, at SIX o'Clock For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 8th December, 1880. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

III Steamship

Captain Westoby, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 12th instant, at.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, 8th December, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VEL SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

"HECTOR." about the 26th December. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 9th December, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship "GLAUCUS,"

Captain T. S. Jackson, will be despatched on or about the 1st January, 1881. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongking, 6th December, 1880. DENTAL NOTICE.

TER. ROGERS has returned, and is now ready to RECEIVE PATIENTS at his requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Rooms, the first floor of the premises lately Hongkong, 7th December, 1880.

M. J. P. COLLACO begs to announce that he has from This Day opened a MILINERY and GENERAL STORE in temporary premises on the ground floor of Hongkong Hotol (facing QUEEN'S ROAD), where a great variety of TOYS, BONBONS, CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S RE-QUISI . ES, &c., &c., &c , will be found. Hongkong, 4th December, 1880.

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ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agenta. Hongkong, 20th November, 1880. THAS J. GAUPP & CO., J CHRONOMETER, WATCH, AND CLOCK-MAKERS, JEWELLERS, SILVERSMITHS, AND OPTICIANS,

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Indersigned, Goods remaining unclaimed after WEDNES. DAY, the 15th instant, at Noon, will be sub-No Fire Insurance has been effected G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 9th December, 1880.

note themselves and asked how it was they had !

Mr. Francis said the inference from that would

be that they had paid it, and the only evidence

there was to connect that note with the Chap

was simply Ng Mun Kwan's expression of belief

that the person named in the note as the payee

was a member of a firm connected with the Chap

Sing. The Chap Sing was composed of a syndi-

cate of firms each of which had its own individual

existence for its own purposes; some were traders,

some bankers, some opium beilers, and it would

not necessarily follow, supposing one of these

firms was the lender of the money, that it was

advanced on behalf of the Chap Sing. He

thought also it was quite clear their Lordships

could not infer male fides. Those who made

should be adopted in its entirety.

Mr. Francis-Yes.

Mr. Hayllar-And make you directors.

on that ground alone to give them costs.

The Attorney-General said that as his Lord-

on what issue he thought Mr. Pitman necessary.

said to him, and what acts were done under the

The Attorney-General-But with regard to

amount of evidence as to what was done through

The Attorney General said Mr. Pitman was

The Court then rose, judgment being reserved.

POLICE COURT

8th December.

BEFORE THE HOS. No CHOY.

BREACH OF THE OPIUM ORDINANCE.

Chun Aku, a shopman, was charged by Police

Sergeant Campbell, with retailing prepared opium

without a permit-from the Opinm Farmer. -The

case was remanded nutil to-day, the defendant

being admitted to bail in two sureties of \$50 each.

pared opium in his possession without a permit

Chan Atak was also charged with having pre-

not called because what he could speak to was

the issue in this case, I don't quite see-

Mr. Pitman might have been called.

most unxious to be called.

meeting of the 12th March.

had it from Mr. Pitman.

not material to the case.

ossession of an unnaid note.

NOTICE:

THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTOR FOR CHINA, JAPAN, &c., &c.,

(With which has been incorporated " THE CHINA DIRECTORY ").

tion. Additions and improvements are being future is all of a piece with the general ad- nage 1,400. She will be engined by the builders. made to render it more valuable as a Commercial

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Advertisements which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued notificentermanded.

HONGKONG, DECEMBER 9TH, 1880.

THE trade of Formosa has, we learn from the Customs Reports for 1879, progressed fayourably, but the expansion has, it is stated, taken place rather in spite of the apathy than in consequence of the care of those whose duty it should be to foster it. The trade is. moreover, yearly lapsing more and more into native hands. So long as Formosa is under l Chinese rule, we are informed by a correspon- tory conclusion as to how he contracted the dis- | 5th or morning of the 9th March, and might be dent, there will be no chance for foreigners. Chinese almost monopolise business. Meantime they display little enterprise, and the increase in trade is due rather to a natural development than any other cause. Mr. F A. Morgan, Assistant-in-Charge of the Customs at Takao, in his report of the trade of the port, very forcibly sums up what has been left undone in the island. He says :-"The clumsy contrivances of the sugar farmera still continue to inflict their yearly percentage of waste; where means of transit are urgently needed, the mud bank does duty for the macadamized road, and unwieldy bullock carts and overworked coolies take the place of the railway truck and goods waggon . Meanwhile the plant of the little Woosung Railway, which, had it been made use of between Takao, Taiwan-fu, and Anping might have paid for itself three times over, not merely in actual receipts, but in the increased prosperity of the people, is abandoned to rust, rot, and the white ant in a Taiwan-fu godown. The plans for dredging the harbour and bar of Takao have been discussed and hid aside, and what might be made one of the finest and safest barbours in the East, and a much-needed place of fefuge, threatens to silt up in a few years and become uscless. The telegraph and the telephone are working, Chinese merchants are greatly deterred from their use by the utter want of secrety in regard to their messages—the employes are five where they should be two-and the management is by no means successful." This condition of things is sketched, it should be remarked, by one who has no personal interest to promote, and is simply actuated by regret 'at seeing so much inexcusable neglect on the part of the Chinese Authorities, We have already repeatedly alluded to the shame- morrow, four days early. .. ful waste involved in keeping the plant and it could be so advantageously used; and the same thing has been pointed out to the Fobkien Authorities in other quarters. But their indifference is too profound to be easily removed. The mandarins in Formosa only care about their squeezes, and their sole anxiety is to leave the island as quickly as possible. They have no interest in the development of its resources, and seemingly care nothing and enterprise might utilise large tracts of land now lying waste for the production of coffee, cinchona, and other crops for which the climate is suitable; while the mineral to nothing is known, might, after proper research, prove of immense value. But nothing it is to be feared that the blights of ignorevery merchant who has resided in, and

played by the Chinese in Formosa. The cam- I has not yet been received,

phor trade, which might be much extended, has fallen off through the heavy cost of carriage to the coast making its price too high to to be saleable at a fair profit by the time it reaches this market. The reason is chiefly to be found in the fact that each year they have to go further inland to cut the trees down, none ever being planted to repair the ravages that have been made in the forests. This Work is now being prepared for publica- This lamentable want of provision for the ministration of affairs in the island. Every

where the signs of apathy and neglect abound, and the few good schemes projected by Ting Those Firms who have not yet returned the JIH-CHANG have long since been allowed to fee, vice C. T. Gardner on leave; T. L. Bullock A mail for Bangkok closes at Singapore at

> English and German Clubs intendiciving a fancy dress ball shortly. The O. and O. Company's mail steamship employment of Chinese labour, on the ground Gaelie was moved into the Cosmopolitan Dock at 5 p.m. yesterday.

We hear that the backdor members of the

We would remind our readers that Signor Cagli's Italian Open Company will produce | York Newspaper writer has been arrested and Verdi's well known opera "La Traviata" at the brought before the Court charged with libelling Theatra Royal this evening.

p.m., to-day the 9th inst.

. It has been decided, we understand, to hold the Flower Show about the middle of February, Mr. Armstrong occupies the position of Chairman of the Committee, and Mr. Ford that of Secretary. A good feature to be introduced in the new schedule is that, with the view of encouraging Chinese vogetable growers, special classes will be formed in which they only will be allowed to compete.

The prews for the American and German Cups at the regatts were drawn for at the Recreation Club yesterday afternoon, with the following result :- For the American Cup, Sampson chose. Richards, Tomkins, and Dunman; Bennett chose Mayno, Lawford, and Murray; and Travers chose Leigh. Blades, and McKean. In the drawing for beats Sampson got the Sylph, Bennett the Thistle, and Travers the Victoria. For the German Cup, Sampson chose Richards, Tomkins, and McKean; Travers chose Mayne, Leigh, and Bludes; and Bennett chose Sanders, Clarke, and Murray. The Thistle fell to Sampson, the Sylph to Travers, and the Victoria to Bannott. In the Leila's crew for the Members! and Chairman's Cups, Travers takes stroke in place of Woodin.

An American paper called the New Age writes as follows on the Chinese question :- "The late Eastern news seems to indicate a most dangerous inflow of Chinese coolies into the Cotton States of the South. It requires no prophetic eye, if this is true, to see in the near as well as the for future, greater evils than African slavery itself could have brought had it continued. In this and Mr. Francis, instructed by Messrs, Brereton connection we trust that what has been told us and Wotton, appeared for the plaintiffs; Mr. as an 'open secret,' will prove true, that Horace Hayling, Q.C., and the Hon. Ng Choy, instructed Davis is contemplating an exhaustive speech or by Messrs. Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, appeared pumphlet on the Chinese question, intending to | for Ban Hap and four other defendants; and Mr prove that this question is so grave as to demand McKean, instructed by Messrs. Stephens and the attention of not one Government like our Holmes, appeared for the remaining four deown, but of the world, and to try and construct a foundation of principles and known truths in international law, upon which a Congress of the out of the potition the description of the parties great Christian powers can meet. As we under- as shareholders in the Man We Fung Company, stand it. Mr. Davis believes that the 'Chinese question, in its largest sense, belongs to the Christian Governments to dotermine."

On the 18th ult, we reproduced a paragraph ! from the Shanghed Merculy wherein, when re- continue his address on the potition as it was and cording the death of one of the employes of they would decide on his application afterwards. Messrs. Sayle & Co., at Shanghai, from typhoid fever, it was made to appear that three of the argued that the agreement of the 9th March beassistants had sucoumbed to the same disease. I tween Ban Hap and the Yan We gave no rights and six had suffered from it within quite recent | and no equities to any of the parties as it was an dates. We are asked by Messrs. Sayle & Co., | agreement to do so illegal thing. The plaintiffs who have suffered some annoyance in consequence | had been consistent in their opposition to that of the misleading terms of the paragraph in quest agreement. They employed Mt. Pitman to do tion, explain that there has been only one death what? To take legal advice. He called their in the establishment at Shanghai within the last | Lordships' attention to the document of the six or seven years, the others having occurred at 12th March, signed by those who were opposed long intervals, and that there is no possible to the agreement of the 9th March. As the reason to believe their premises are less healthy plaintiffs looked over that agreement they saw than any others in Shanghai. The medical men | San Hap had been ensuared into a great many who attended the young man lately deceased disadvantageous articles. That agreement have not been able as yet to come to a satisfac- | prepared by the Yan Wo on the evening of the easo. Every precaution is taken by the firm to described as a hasty document, by which guard against such attacks, to which, however. Hap might be taken by surprise. The plainowing to the indifferent drainage and worse drinking water, residents in Shanghai are far more liable than the people of Hongkong.

The following items are taken from the London and China Express of the 29th October :---The Rev. Canon Scorth; who will be remembered by many in China, has been brdered to spend the winter in the south of Europe. He has been presented with a purse of 125 guineus from his parishioners at Gravesend.

The Eastern Extension Telegraph Company Limited) give notice that the coupon due No. vember let on their £100,000 Five per Cent. Debentures of 1490 will be payable on and after that date at the Consolidated Bank.

The consecration of the following bir ops took place yesterday at St. Paul's Cathodi Dr. George Evans Moulefor Mid-China (Mingpo). Carion, Charles Fercy Scott, B.A., for North China; and Rev. Dr. Enos Nuttall, for Jamaica.

The Zophur, 4, screw composite gunboat, 436 (308) tons, 534 (80) horse-power. Lieutenaut-Pollard, left Sheerness on the 25th instant for the China Station, where she will relieve the Swinger. The Zephyr is now in Elymouth Sound awaiting final sailing orders.

The Charybilis, 17, wooden corvette, Captain Charles F. Hotham arrived in Plymouth Sound on the 22ud inst., 125 days from Singapore, via the Cape of Good Hope. After inspection she proceeded to the Hamonzato be paid off, and to be put out of commission. The Churybdis was recommissioned at Hongkoug on May 9, 1877. She is to be paid off all standing, and will then it is true, and are conveniences to trade, but be handed over to the Canadian Government for ase as a training-ship.

> The latest mail advices received home were :-Manila September 11th, Foochew 14th, Shanghai 15th, Salgon 17th, Yokohama (vid San Franeisco) 18th, Hongkong 20th, Batavia 20th, Singapore 25th. The P.and O. mail, with the advices dated as above, from Chius and the Straits Settlements, was delivered, vid Brindisi, on the 28th netitite due date. The salvices from Japan, via San Francisco, were received on the 22nd inst. The Messageries Maritimes steamer Peiho, with the next inward mail, arrived at Naples, on the from \$70 to \$50, a practical admission that the 27th inst., and the mail will reach London to-

The Havans correspondent of the New York rolling stock of the Woosung Railway lying | Fierald writes as follows under date 2nd inst :idle and rotting and that, too, in a place where | On the 24th ult. the Chinese Consulate in this | 370, but in connection with other terms. They city suffered an indignity through the brutality | had agreed to it because they were to have the of two individuals belonging to the Government | benefit of one-fourth of the boiling, but they had police, which has provoked a most energetic lasver agreed to it when they were to be excluded of duty by Captain Hewitt, Royal Artillery. reclamation by the Chinese Consul General from from that benefit. That made a considerable the Governor-General, the Consul demanding a difference. As to the guarantee for the costs, vant and has been for about a month. On the full reparation for the insults and intrusion of there was no avidence whatevore ither by inference | 15th of last, month I had to go to Stanley. I "at present tributary to China," compiled by placed in commission for a month. These gunwhich the Consulate has been made a victim. or otherwise. It was only by inference his learned told defendant to accompany me. He said he Eye witnesses relate the following:-Two China- friend sought to suggest it because the Chap wished to have an advance of his wages. I wrote men, pursued for some misdemennour by two Singmight have an interest, but if their Lordships to Hing Kee to pay him, but I found he would policemen, took refuge in the courtyard of the found the plaintiffs had a material interest in not take it from Hing Kee but me. I refused to tributary to China is the kingdom of Gepen offensive-defensive operations which it may be Consulate, which occupies a capacious building, carrying on the suit it would take away any advance him any wages unless I was sure he or Japan. where they asked the policemen to allow them to ground there might be to enable their Lordships | would go with me to Stanley. On the 16th uit. talk to their Consul. In answer to this the to draw any inference as to the intermedaling of I sent defendant out for break and he did not at the year 57 A.D., and from that period up to armoured and heavily armed ironclads of over policemen commenced to deal them blows with the Chap Sing in this suit, and the plaintiffs were return; I did not see him again until yesterday, recent years Embassies between the two countries 7,000 tons displacement), while the gun-vessels population. Mr. Morgan says that "energy the flate of their swords." Hearing the noise entitled to usk the Court to infer the Chap Sing, when he came to me for his wages and I gave him were yeary frequent. Constant squables arose will be ready to get nearer inshere. Although caused by the assault, the two secretaries of the had nothing to do with it. It was little or no into custody. Consulate ran down stairs, and upon seeing what interest to any one concerned in the existing The defendant said Edid not leave my master's of points of etiquette, the latter claiming to be ment, their armour, which protects the region was going on, asked the policemen to desist, and farm, the Chap Sing not being believe, to take service. I went for bread, and when I returned addressed as suzerains. On one occasion the about the water-line and rises up in the form to allow the Chinamen to talk to them, promising them in, and it would be far more to the interest my master was gone. that the men would be delivered up to their of all parties, if they were to be taken in at all, to Fined \$4; in default, fourteen days imprison. Emperor of China, and superscribe his epsitle bows of the vessel, is eight inches thick, or custody. The infuriated policemen thereupon take them in with the Yan Wo than to take them ment with hard labour. resources of the mountain land, of which next | pointed their revolvers at the secretaries, threaten. in and turn the Yan Wo out. The Yan Wo were ing their lives. A special policeman who is al- boilers, they still possessed the Macao monopoly. ways on duty in the building then tried to per- and although he did not think they could do it snade his comrades to desist, showing the Chinese successfully, still they had it in their power if is done. The garden is a fruitful one; but arms displayed over the entrance. But this they were turned out to go over there and athad no effect on them, and they forcibly car- tempt to re-establish their export business. ance and apathy will long continue to cur- and the two persecuted Chinemen to the police connected with the firm would wish to turn the stealing a cake of soap valued at ten cents. It consequence. His Majesty ordered the tri- Dandolo. An armoured deck below the waterstation, not, even allowing the secretary to Yan Wo out, because that would be the first appears the defendant entered a shop in the Cen. bund of Foreign Affairs to return the letter, line adds to the defensive strength of the gunobservations there is only too abundant get his can with the distinction of his rank step in re-establishing the opposition. The only trail Market to purchase a fewl, and while the and prohibited it from ever showing him a beats; while their offensive power is increased by apon it. The officer at the police station at once conceivable object of the negotiation with the shopman was apparently busy he slipped the similar one in fature." For more than a thou- afformidable spar. Powerful as these small and to be sent to the hospital. Judging from the the price of their coming in that the Yan Wo every mariner who has traded to, Formosa indignation of the Consul-General; who is a very should be turned out, or that any other sacrifice

and exchanged salutes with the forts and the have a material interest, and that they were recovered from the first defendant. the 23rd inst. on a voyage of instruction round the court might think them unwise from a hard labour, and the second defendant was dis-

for the China trade. She is a sister ship to the tittle of evidence that the money was advanced Cosmopolitan Dook. Heihow and Pakhoi, recently launched, and will be by the Chap Sing. There was a promissory note employed in the coasting trade in China. Her | which established a local liability to pay which dimensions are 250 by 31 by 24.3, feet, and tone was now on the plaintiffs.

The following changes have recently taken place in the China Consular Service:-W. D Spence to Ichang, vice T. Watters to Tamsni Colin M. Ford to Pakhoi; W. R. Carlos to Cheto Wuhu, vice E. L. Oxonham to Chinkiang C. F. R. Allen, to Newchwang, vice H. Allen on leave ... Mr. Colin M. Ford, we hear has applied

At Washington considerable sensation has been paused in political circles by the publication of a letter purporting to have been written by General Garfield in January last advocating the that the question of the employment of labourers is simply a matter of private and corporate economy, General Gardold has publicly declared that the letter was a forgery, and a Now the General by publishing the letter, and making editorial false representations in a leading article based upon it. Affidavits were read from exports declaring that the handwriting of the letter was not that of General Garfield. The acoused, who demanded an immediate trial was romanded, bail being being accepted in the sum

LAW NOTICES

SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG... IN BANKRUPTUY (in Court at 11 o'clock) In the matter of Wong Tak, a bankrupt-(Report of Official

IN PROBATE JURISDICTION -In the goods of J s Silva e Souza, deceased—(Potition of Filotes Maria Silva e Sonza for Letters of Administration). , In the goods of Trn-Chuin, deceased—(Potition of this Administrator for Letters of Administration). In Chambers at IL o'clock -Sands v. Forbes - (Se lement of Report on general accounts between Defendant and the estate of George Underhill Sands

SUPREME COURT 8th December.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. BEFORE THE FULL COURT.

KO LEONG YUEN AND OTHERS V. BAN HAP The Attorney-General (Hon. E. L. O'Malle,

Mr. Francis now asked to be allowed to strike

Mr. Hayllar objected on the ground that to make the alteration asked for would virtually be making this a different suit. Their Lordships said Mr. Francis had better Mr. Francis then continued his reply, and tiffs and those who time agreed with them met together on the 10th and said they though the terms were disadvantageous and that Ban Hap-giving him credit as they did for the best intentions—had been ensuared. They said they had spaght assistance to profit themselves and i

had turned to unprofitableness. . The terms made by Ban Hap were, in the opinion of the forty nine who signed that document, upprofitable and ensuaring. The differences in the two agreements justified the plaintiffs in their dissont and the strongest evidence of mala fides would be required before their Lordships would allow their claim to be disputed on that ground. The Chap Sing were in Hongkong they were large traders who had had all the carriage traffic of the opium and the sale in the gold countries. It would have been advantageous to the company under, any circumstances to get them to come in with the Yan Wo, and Ng Mun Kwan had said Ban Hap himself told him to try to make arrangements with the Chap Sing, and the telegram of which his learned friend had tried to make so much was sent by Ng Min Kwan in pursuance of and as a step in the negotiations which he was conducting under Ban Hap's instructions. As to the charge that the plaintiffs were backed and supported by the Chap Sing, the charge had been definitely made in the moswer that the costs of the last suit were paid by the Chup Sing and that the present suit was instigated by them and that they had guaranteed the costs. He submitted that with regard to the last part there was not a tittle of evidence. The atmost his learned friend could do was to ask the court to draw certain inferences, but he submitted that whether the court thought the plaintiffs wise and predent men or not in opposing the agreement of the 9th March it could have no doubt as to the honesty and bona fides of that opposition and as to their bona fide and was remanded until to-day, bail as in the belief that in opposing it they had interests to pro- preceeding case. tect. They also had a vast majority with them at the time, which had fullen off only through motives of expediency. But the plaintiffs had been conon which the amalgamation took place-not to Gilman's Basaar. the amalgamation itself, but to the terms. In connection with that it would be seen that the schariour of the other side was practically a con-

pany," and they had reduced the price of boiling former charge was far in excess of what ought to be made, otherwise the Yan We would never have and damaging their uniform.

ession that they were right. They had at the

last moment said "Yes, we will register this com-

evidence. Every traveller who has visited, set the secretary and the special policeman at Chap Sing must have been to bring them in with cake of soup up his sleeve. When he left the shop sand years after this, similar differences were comparatively inexpensive vessels are a yet more liberty, and ordered the two wounded Chinsmen | the Yan Wo, and instead of their demanding as | the complainent followed and had him arrested. | constantly arising—the Chinese, judging from formidable gunboat has been lately designed by WHERT OF MONEY AND CLOTHES. can bear witness to the truth of all that Mr. dignified person, be will not rest until a full and should be made to their feelings of bestility, they Mongan has stated. Unconcern and a thrift- satisfactory reparation is made for what he con- were effering a price, \$30,000, to be allowed to value of \$48 were brought up on remand yesterlessness unknown on the mainland are dis- ernor Generalto his letter demanding satisfaction draw, if any inference was to be drawn as to the charge; the stately Chinese. On one occasion, in the seventh gun mounted on a pivot and non-recoil system, she replied, in her next letter, "the longer you entered the charge; the stately Chinese. On one occasion, in the seventh gun mounted on a pivot and non-recoil system. She replied, in her next letter, "the longer you entered the charge; the stately Chinese. On one occasion, in the seventh gun mounted on a pivot and non-recoil system. She replied, in her next letter, "the longer you

from Kiel, arrival at Plymouth on the 25th inst.; bona fide, monestly believing thomselves to the second defendant, and that \$12.71 had been that Japan should be blotted out of the list of Admiral's ship. She will coul and proceed on prosecuting this sult in that interest, although Thefirst defendant was sentenced to six months

the present hearing their opponents were in a LARGENY FROM THE COSMOPOLITAN. DOCK. Messrs. Scott and Co., of Cartsdyke on Clyde bopelossly illegal position carrying on an illegal . Wong Tak, a carpenter, was sentenced to have launched another of the steamers being combination. As to the payment of the costs fourteen days' imprisonment with hard labour with a certain embassy-possibly disliking to anconstructed for Messrs. John Swire and Sons, in the first suit be submitted there was not a for stealing a quantity of copper nails from the

DEPOSITING RUBBISH police Sergeant Hannessey with depositing a The Chief Justice said the plaintiffs had the quantity of rubbish on Government property.

charged with fighting and creating a disturbance Inspector Thomson said-the second defendant the suit were not borne by the Chap Sing was very quarrelsome. He was sentenced to three months' hard labour, and to be exposed in the be explicitly and distinctly denied the charge stocks for six hours. The first defendant was

made in the petition, and against that there discharged UNLAWFUL POSSESSION! Leang Avan and Luk Ashu, two coolies, were charged with having two pigs of iron in their possession, the property of the Sai Wan Dook

The first defendant was sentenced to one month's, and the second defendant to four months'

AMBASSADOR.

that charge must clearly and distinctly prove t, and he submitted that in this case there had been no reliable testimony whatever given in Mr. Hayllar-After you had been to Mr. Pit-

favour. The substantive charge of mala fides had failed entirely, and he would ask the Court The Chief Justice remarked that he thought Mr. Francis said Mr. Pitman himself was

> will ask bim why he stays, through stinginess, at | constantly receiving determined him to send a adding to the above complaints expressed at ing order. . . . course, at a time when the Chinese question has selves, or to take up their offices. They better have followed the advice given him by a locasing warfare against the Spaniards, that the nephew of his attached to the Legation and pro- Japanese were fighting against the Chinase on bably the ablest Chinese diplomatist in the Mis. | the other side of the world. It was found ne- has retreated, and Taimur; the commander of sion, and by Mr. Ho, the English-speaking inter. cassary at last to send large Imperial armies to the Persian troops has captured the position. preter or secretary who is familiar with the drive out these termentors, and "in one way or country. Space fails us, to tell all we know (and other, China was gradually delivered from a the misdeeds of Mr. Chen Lan Pin, but we have | years.

BOOVE AND PAGABOND Ho Achiu, a tailor, was charged by Polico Sergeant Hennessy with being a rogue and vagasistent throughout in their apposition to the terms, band, and being found in an unoccupied house in

The case was remanded until to day. ALLEGED LARCENY. The case in which a man named Tsi Li Chan, was accused of stooling firewood, was further re-

James Hill, 21, a stoker on board H.M.S. The Chief Justice—But you agreed to pay 870. fined \$2 and ordered to pay \$1 amends for damage spired by them: Since that time we have had

manded until to-day. Bail as before.

NEGLECT OF DUTY. Chu Ahan, servant, was charged with neglect Complainant said The defendant is my ser-

charged with stealing clothing and money to the albere to strict etiquette; while the Japanese steam at a rate of nine knots an hour; but the Chap Sing, was that they were not intermeddling, ascoud defendant denied it

monetary point of view. Up to a few days before charged.

BEFORE THE HON. M. S. TONNOCHY.

Find \$5; in default; fen days, imprisonment.

Chan Akam and Ng Afak, two coolies, were Sing was Ng Mun Kwan's belief that the erson mentioned in the note was one of the thap Sing. In answer to that they put Tam in the street. Yak Shau in the box, who swore the costs in ! and that this suit was not instigated by them;

imprisonment, with hard labour,

IMPEACHMENT OF THE CHINESE

Under the above heading the American Correcombination with any one. They agreed to the Chung How would have had his head out off for the voyages of the pirates, which form the subcombination with the Yan Wo on certain definits disobedience of orders if the foreign Ambas- ject of this article. terms. They were never consulted about any sadors at Peking had not interceded in his be- In 1369, when China was governed by the first other terms, and they refused to sign the agree- half. Now, a similar apprehension with regard | Emperor of the Ming dynasty, we find it recorded ment of the 9th March and dissented from it. to Chen Lan Pin, the Minister of the Celestial that the Japanese infested the coast of China, without any change up to the present moment, and rivans on account of their active interest in the their ravages as far as Honingan, a large town

himself, he is in direct correspondence with the China had given a hundred passnorts grant ance of his mission, but he has done precisely with these passports the Japanese crossed to you who violated your agreement. The stock of American statesmen. The other day, for maritime provinces with all sorts of proinsisted by the other side from beginning to end Prosident General Grant. The latter replied soldiers, spies, and arms for Chinese when they terms for a sottlement they insisted that, in or three minutes in a room where he found him. their countrymen with hatred towards the Chi-The plaintiffs had not been nawilling to meet of the pig-tail Ambassador, as they called him. that followed the native chronicle waxes pain the present extremely critical situation of the aged and sacked, of ravaged provinces. will close within the next six months. But he of the most capable were recalled, and the hopes to prolong it, for which reason, not with- chronicle goes on "the Japanese, having now

friendly relations between China and the United

JAPANESE PIRATES IN CHINA Last week we referred in a brief note to the

depredations of Japanese pirates, in the China

and Indian seas between the twelfth and sixteenth centuries, and mentioned the Mémoires Concernant les Chingis, published by the Jesuit fathers Kestrel, was charged with assaulting the police lin Paris, about the close of the last century, as giving certain interesting particulars respecting The charge was proved and the defendant was, the extent of these depredations and the fear in-Mr. Francis said the plaintiffs did agree to pay done to first witness's coat and cape, in default an opportunity of referring to the volumes of the Mémoires, and as they are by no means common in Japan, we propose now giving a resume being unde to push forward the construction of of all the references in the fifteen volumes of the those at present on the stocks as rapidly as work on this subject. The greater portion of possible. Eight of the vessels have been already these are to be found in the fourteenth volume, launched, and four of these, namely, the Basilisk, which contains the translation in all the countries | Camaleon, Wespe, and Krokodil, have been lately order of the Empecor Kang hi in 1696, from beats, which are of a type peculiar to the German numerous works which he had caused to be col- navy, are designed primarily to assist in the deleeted. Amongst these countries "at present fence of the German coasts; any more distant

century, the Emperor of China, approprid that his -St. James's Gasette.

The Imperial German screw corvette Hertha, in this suit, but that the plaintiffs were acting Sergeant Rae said there was no evidence against Envoy was not received with due honours, ordered tributary kingdoms, and prohibited all communication with the Japanese, but soon afterwards. "the king of Japan wishing to enter into the rights of a tributary of China" sent ambissadors and made un the difficulty. Not long afterwards, the Japanese wishing to avoid doing business

swer embarrassing questions -took it into their

them in prison accordingly; and on another Chang Afat, sub-contractor, was charged by occasion a local official in Tsushima, kapta whole mission in good for several months. Truly Japan cannot have been regarded with favourable eyes by the Chinese diplomatists of those days. But the following picture is probably unrivalled in the diplomant of the world. In the year 1522, Japan being in a state of anarchy, two governors of provinces sent embassies headed by priests with tribute to China. Both arrived about the same time at Ningpo. According to the ancient coromonial, the first arrival should have precedence of the others; but on this occasion, the second envoy, by means of a heavy bribe to a court eupnoh, obtained the promise of first reception. The first envoy complained bitterly of this, but was not listened to. He resolved ac cordingly, to take the law into his own hands. and to seize by force what he failed to get by appeals to justice. For this purpose, he armed his whole suite, and ordered them to out down any one disputing pracedonce with them, onnuch counselled resistance to his protege, and promised him the assistance of Chinese soldiers. Soon afterwards the rival embassies met, and battle royal ensued. The principal officers of the town came up with armed mon to quell the dis-

turbance, and seize the delinquents. The two hands of Japanese then joined together, and attucked the Chinese, killing a large number smong whom were the Governor-general and Viceroy. spondence of the 23rd October has the following They spread themselves over the town, pillaging support of it, while it had been clearly and curious article; - When it was whispered about, and murdering as in a town taken by assault. For emphatically contradicted and denied by one of a year ago, in diplomatic circles at St. Peters. a time Ningpo was in their possession, and finally. the plaintiffs in the witness-box on oath. He burg, that Chung How might be made to pay when the Chinese reinforcements arrived, they relied mainly on this, that the plaintiffs' conduct | dearly for signing the trenty of Livadia without | escaped to their ships. Among these captured Thad been consistent from the beginning. They authority and contrary to the instructions given by the Chinese were the rival envoys. The Euwere some of those who were originally of him by the Tsung Li Yamen, or Council of peror ordered the death of the priest who had opinion that the Man Wo Fung might carry on State, such fours were treated by some people given the bribe, and sout back all the others to on its own account successfully, without any with ridicule. It has since been shown that their own country. But we must now come to

and they had persevered steadily in that dissent Empire to the United States, is folt by the Ame. making descents in Shantang, and extending in that dissent they had with them at the time and Chinese immigration question; which cocupies in the province of Kinngnan. They destroyed up to May avery considerable majority of the mem- a very prominent position in the Presidential umay of the towns near the sea, and at the period bers interested with them in the opium monopoly. electoral compaign. From informations received of the favourable winds retired with immense After touching on several legal points, the from Peking since the arrival of the new Ame- booty. They returned the following year in learned counsel submitted that the plaintiffs were rican Mission, we learn the nature of the much greater numbers, and repeated their precertainly entitled to a sale and distribution of the strict orders given to Mr. Chan Lau Piu by the vious outrages. Several complaints and embassies proceeds of the opium in stock at date of last Tang Li Yamen, and all who are familiar with to the ruler of Japanese over-running large disaccount, \$192,000. He also submitted that they | that the diplomatist's conduct, observe with an- | tricts in Che-king, Fokhien, and Shantung, were entitled to ask that the monopoly might be casiners that he has not condescended to follow Finding negotiations useless, the Emperor had dealt with in the same way, and under the prayer his instructions. The Chinese Minister Pleni- ships built to guard the coasts of the two former for general relief he asked for specific perform- potentiary was positively forbidden, for instance, provinces and also despatched troops there! This ance of the agreement of the 23rd February. to employ any persons other than those belong. succeded at first, but the pirates then attacked In conclusion, he submitted the plaintiffs were | ing to the Legation; Mr. Chen Lan Pin has done | Shantung, which was not so well defonded. Fiftyentitled to the costs of these proceedings. It just the contrary. He is so suspicious by nature, wine fortresses were then are the area the are the area the are was only on the 3rd November, twolve days that he is afraid to trust the literary Chinamen and an army composed of one mad in every four before the hearing of this suit commenced, who accompany him and, although there are in- of the sea-board population was forced to act as that registration was effected. On the 15th terpreters attached to his Embassy, he has had coast-guard. This measure seems to have been November, after the answer had been put in and | the documents communicated by him to foreign of use for a time, although it did not wholly prethey had had time to consider it, the plaintiffs | Governments, as well as those received from them, | vent the Japanese descents. In 1419 an expedioffered to the defendants to come in to their translated by Americans, when he was in the tion composed of twenty armed ressels and ten registered company and take shares on the con- United States, and by Frenchmen and Spaniards, thousand men suffered a severe defeat at their dition that the agreement of the 23rd February when he was in Paris or Madrid. He even tries hands. More than half their number were out to impress upon those whom he fancies to be to pieces; but it looked as if nothing could dannt | were lost. Mr. Hayllar-And that we should pay all unfamiliar which Chinese diplomatic offices, that these insular barbarians. "In order that am-

the Tsung-li Yamen is nothing but a tea-party bassadors from Japan should not be troubled by Mr. Francis -- And pay all our costs, of course of stupid old bonzes and mandarins, while, as for examinations at the Customs, the Emperor of Empresses Regent. If that is so, Chen Lan ing them full entrance into and exit from Pin ought to display great, skill in the perform. China for their personal effects." Armed Mr. Francis-We had as much right to object the contrary, and has made himself the laughing. to China whenever they pleased, filled the police, the extension of education, and the instilearned counsel went on to say that it had been example, he asked to have an interview with ex. hibited goods, and brought with them strange of the case, that with the concessions now made that he would be glad to meet the Minister of wished to excite to revolt. The Emperor was by the Yan Wo the two agreements were prec- the Colestial Empire, and that he would let him forced to drive them out of the country; and tically identical. The plaintiffs did not think know when the interview could take place when after the pillage and massacre of Ningpo above must reform themselves, marry pradently, and they thought the agreement of the 23rd | ther at Grant's hotel or at the bouse of Chen | described, the order was extended to all Japanese February was much more favourable to them | Lan Pin. When the latter learned that Grant | residing in the Empire. The merchants who than that of the 9th March. He did not think, had arrived at New York, he made a rush for the were thus expelled suffered much loss, and on rethey were unreasonable when in considering hotel and of course had an audience of only two turning to their own land inflamed the minds of view of what the defendants said, they should self mixed up with a lot of politicians who nese, and moreover excited their cupidity with adopt that agreement instead of their own. laughed heartily at the undiplomatic eagerness hopes of great booty. In describing the attacks the defendants, and he entimitted they had done In this instance, Mr. Chen Lan Pin, lamentably thetle. " Soon people spoke of nothing but of nothing which would disentitle them to costs if [miled to maintain his diplomatic dignity, But | the descent of the Japanese on the domains of the the Court gave a decree on any point in their he tries to make a great show of doing something Empire, of Chinese vessele taken, of towns pillrelations between China and the United States. whole eastern part of Che-kinng was reduced to twenty bakers here have made a reduction in their In the second place, Mr. Chen Lan Pin has also a pitiable state by the Japanese troops, who had prices. disobeyed the orders of the Tsung Li Yamen in made themselves sovereigns of the soa." Charges not going to Peru, where Chinese interests need of treachery and incapacity were made by the watching over, although his diplomatic mission Chinese generals against each other. Three

ship had made the remark he had he would ask standing his parsimony, he is laying in a stock to light only against men without experience f presents-to-send to high officials in China, or talent for war, overran in a short time al The Chief Justice—The issue of all that took in the hope that they will renew his powers. most the whole of Fokhien, and part of Cheplace after that document, what the plaintiffs The probability is, on the contrary, that they king. The sad news which the Emperor was New York in proference to Washington, where censor of the Empire to examine in detail into he ought to be giving dinners and receptions, the affairs of the maritime provinces, and to give 6,000 burghers have been called to aid the colonial and why, for the same cause, he does not go to him a faithful and exact account, in order that forces. The Chief Justice-There has been a large Peru, where duty calls him. We refrain from he might take efficacious measures for establish-But things were in such a Ng Mun Kwan: I should have liked to have Pekin, the information in the possession of the bad state that the officers, arrived at their American Correspondence with reference to the posts, and seeing the destruction of ten impublic and private conduct of Mr. Chen Lan Pin. | portant towns in Che-kiang, were so intimid-We can only regret that he is pursuing the wrong | atel that they did not derecte defend thembecome one of great importance in the Republic, hastened back to the capital, and advised the and when both the leading political parties Emperor to regard the Japanese, not as or. 10s. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank £39. agree in demanding the abrogation of the dinary pirates, but as regular and banded enemies Burlingame treaty which permits Chinese im- of the Empire, and to make war on them acmigration to the United States. Mr. Chen cordingly. It is worth while noticing that this been commuted into hard labour in the mines Lan Pin, instead of risking his head by dis- was towards the end of the sixteenth century, for life. obeying the strict orders of the Taung Li when our own Raleighs, Drakes, Grenvilles, Yamen upon thuse two points, and by making Frobishers, and other warriors in the Spanish himself ridiculous in Grant's ante-chamber, had Msia were carrying on the same bitter and un-

> hasty resumé of a Chinese narrative it will be for the Great Basses, with Mr. Blyth, conveyobserved that for about six hundred years, the ling stores for the reliefs. Captain Allen is at Japanese were to the coast of China what the Hambantota: Norsemen were to early Europe, and the English seamen to the Spaniards in America in the sixteenth century-with this one important differ-

THE GERMAN NAVY. It has recently been decided that the number of

once, however, that the Japanese got no perma-

nent foothold on the mainland. - Japan Mail.

armoured gunboats in the German may shall be landing there. increased to thirteen; and stremuous efforts are . The first arrivals of Japanese in China's placed by the so-called "sortio-corvettes" (strongly ruler of Japan had the andacity to write to the of a horse-shoe-shaped traverse across the "The son of Heaven at the place where the as strong as that of our own coast-defence sun rises, to the Son of Heaven at the place wessels of 3,500 tons displacement, while each Li Achung and Chu Aku, two coolies, were fined where the sun sets." "These expressions," beat carries behind the above-named traverse revolt. \$1, in default three days' hard labour, for outling | the chronicle says, "revolted every one; the a 303-centimetre (35-ton) gun, a weapon which, parth no the Robinson toad on the 7th instant. Emperor himself was indignant; for the Em- it is calculated by German artiflerists, can perors of China look on themselves, to the send its projectile at a distance of 400 yards Chun Alak, a cook, was fined \$25, in default exclusion of all the other princes of the earth, through the sides of any ironolad affort, with ried one of the secretaries, their comrade, It was utterly unreasonable to suppose anyone one month's imprisonment with hard labour for as the only legitimate Sons of Heaven. In the exception, perhaps, of the Italian Duilio and

this account, were willing to receive their Krupp. The weak point of the present boats is Wong Aku and Lenng Shu Shing, who were versatile neighbours, provided the latter would their comparatively low speed, as they can only

THE FRENCH MAIL.

"The Messageries Maritimes Co.'a steamship Ozus, Captain G. Rapatel, from Marstilles 31st October, vin Naples Port Said, Suez, Aden, Point de Galle, Singapore 29th November, and Saigon 4th instant, with the London Mail of the 29th October, arrival here last evening. The following items are taken from the Straits Times Extra:-CALCUTTA, 5th November.

heads to call all the members impostors and put A cyclonic storm has been developing in the bouth of the Bay of Bongal during the past three days and is now approaching the Coromandel Coast. In the absonce of the Madras telegram the position of the storm centre cannot be determined with certainty, but it is believed that the storm is advancing to the coast immediately

> north of Madras. LONDON, 7th November. Serious differences are reported to exist in the Tabinet. Mr. John Bright and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain strongly oppose the coercion of

11th November. Lady Ripon and her son, Earl de Grey, have

started for India. PARTS: 11th November. M. Bandry Dass on refusing to submit to his exclusion from the Chamber of Deputies for using violent language, was expelled by the soldiers. The Deputies of the Right supported

him in his refusal, VIENNA: 11th November. At Agram, in South-eastern Austria, frosh shocks of earthquake have taken place. A panic prevails, and the Diet has been susperuled.

LONDON, 12th November. The Press generally, English and Foreign approve of Mr. Gladstone's speech at the Guildhall Banquet. Some Orangemen, volunteering to assist an

estracised Ballinrobe landlord in his barvesting, have had to be guarded by numerous troops, in consequence of hostility manifested. ST. PETERSBURG, 12th November.

hanged, and eleven to various terms of imprisonment with hard labour in the mines. In six eases a mitigation of punishment was recom SUEZ, 12th November. General Roberts arrived here last night.

There was no reception. The troopship Orontes has passed through the Canal, homeward bound. KANDAHAE, 12th November. The troops in the Daklah district have been revalled, as their health was suffering. The country is profoundly quiet. The Ameer's family is leaving for Kabul. EAHORE, 12th November.

Colonel MacGregor's expedition against the Murrees has ended satisfactorily. The leaders have assumed a submissive attitude on the approach of the British force. Of the lake and ahalf stolen, R50,000 has been recovered, and the balance (as good as) secured.

VIENNA, 13th November. Fresh shocks of earthquake have taken place in South Eastern Austria, and Agram is half

GALLE, 13th November. The engineer of the Trinity House steamer Lord Sandon arrived to-day and reported the. wreck of that vessel near the Great Basses, on her voyage from Galle. She sank at 4 o'clock on the morning of the 11th instant, having left Galle on the evening of the 10th. The captain and crew, &c., landed safely at Kirinde. No lives

LONDON, 14th November. Dr. Hunter in his concluding lecture at Ediaburgh, said that the British admistration in India at the present day-way superior to that of the Mogul and even to the East India Company's rule. He pointed to a pure Government, the administration of justice, the establishment of the larger employment of Natives in the Government service, and what difficulties there may be in so employing them are not due to any shortcomings of the Indian Government. The Natives that representative institutions in India are no-

ROME, 14th November. A violent storm has taken place in Italy, causing serious damage. VIENNA, 14th November.

No more shocks of earthquake have taken place Sr. PETERSBURG, 14th November. Fearing the threats of Government arising out of the high prices of bread, one hundred and

CONSTANTINGFLE, 14th November, Mr. Goschen has announced that England proposes an international financial commission for

the management of Turkish finances. TERERAN, 14th November. Mouschir-id-Daouleh, Sipah Salar Azem bas left Tabreez to take command of the Persian troops operating against the revolted Khurds, replacing Hischmetrid-Daculeb.

CAPETOWN, 14th November. The rebellion is assuming a much worse form, LONDON, 15th November.

At a reception held by General Biddulph at Cyprus, he said that the trade and navigation of the Island have increased greatly, and that the harvest was favourable. The natives present expressed their loyalty. Bank Shares -- Oriental Bank, £19; Chartered Bank, £22 10s. : Chartered Mecantila Bank, £21

ST. PETERSBURG, 15th November. The sentence of death on three Nibilista has

CONSTANTINOPLE, 15th November. A Turkish official while reading the proclamation of the surrender of Duleigne, was shot. TEHERAN, 15th November. Oberdullah, a leader of the revolted Kurds,

The craw of the Lord Sandon, and the two our knowledge is complete and thorough) about scourge from which she had suffered for so many | European light-keepers and four natives keepers agrived to-day from Kirinde. Mr. Blyth, said enough to make him see how necessary it is | We have now strived at the time of Taiko | Master Attendant, reached the Great Basses for him to comply more strictly with the orders | Hideyoshi and the some of conflict between the at eight o'clock on Friday night by the of his superiors at Peking who are more highly Japanese and Chinese becomes shifted to Corea, Peking who are more highly Japanese and Chinese becomes shifted to Corea, Peking who are more highly Japanese and Chinese becomes shifted to Corea, animated than he is with a desire to maintain and here we may leave it. The provinces chiefly to, of the Lord Sandon were safe, retorned to concerned in these raids were Satsume, Hizo, Galle in his barge, arriving at midnight on the Choshin, Chikusen, and Buzen. From the above 13th instant. The Secendib left this morning

> CAPETOWN, 15th November. The Boers at Potcheftsroom are robelling, and dvancing against the Colonial troops. The rabels have been repulsed by the Transkei Militia, who killed and wounded several. The Militia lost one officer and two Fingoes. The Bover Corporation have resolved to pre-

sont an address to Sir Frederick Floberts on his LONDON, 17th November. The Nawab of Bahawulpur has been appointed a Gland Commander of the Star of India, and Gunda Sing of Puttials and Kno Ramjah of Kapathalla, Companions of the same Order.

Consols 992. Yesterday General Roberts, in replying to the congratulatory address presented to him by the Corporation of Dover, said that he accepted it

on behalf of the army and himself. VIENNA, 17th November. 2,000 inhabitants of Agram took flight, abandoning all their property. A Government loan of 50,000 gulden has been granted to the town.

and 1,800 workmen are engaged in building it. TEHERAN, 17th November. Obei Dullah has been completely defeated, and Taimur Boy is pursuing the fugitive Kurds to the frontier. The Persians have captured Sandybalah. Nu.

merous Khurds have been killed, wounded, and taken prisoner. Russia has expressed her readiness to assist Persia in suppressing the Khurdish LONDON, 19th November. The Admirals of the International fleet have informed Admirals Seymour that they will sup-

port the Montenegrin troops if it be necessary for them to attack Dulcigno. Yesterday, Lord Granville, in reply to an influential deputation, said that the Government hoped before the next dissolution of Parliament to pass a bill to assimilate the berough and county

"'Tis said that absence conquers love," quoted a husband, in writing home to his wife, from assumed to have delighted in playing, the Krupp vessel is to have a speed of twenty knots whom he had been some time away; "I hope. most extraordinary pranks on the grave and an hour, sud is to carry a 351 centimetre (50-ton) | dear, it won't be so in your case." "Oh, no."

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THE 'KURDISH INROAD INTO PERSIA.

lackaki and Hamz Aga, of Monsour, known he humane and clean-handed Government of sia "for their perverseness." and as " having bject beyond pilluge, to which they are much ined," may possibly turn out to be the most ortant persons now moving in Asia. Even heir present undertaking is meant to be a e foray (but the news of to-day represents it far more -orious onterprise) it is a ver afficant illustration of the actual condition Persia and Asiatio Turkey. The Kurd is always has been, a robber. A late traveller 3 noighbourhood (Balinguished between him the nomad Arab by saying that the latter plunders, while the former marders into barguin. They have always been more or in the habit of levying black-mail on their warlike neighbours, and have constantly a their profit out of the civil wars of Persia present of Kajir dynasty owed their victory r their Zend rivals very largely to their alliwith Kurdish chiefs. But it is something to see two loaders, apparently only of secony importance, collect a force numbered at een thousand men, plunder a wide tract country, and show such confidence in their eligth that they do not even return with their ty to the hills, but send it back under escort a the main body remains encamped in the aded country. Such an inread would be imsible unless the corruption of its Government reduced Persia to a state of complete disbyration. Moreover, there is the fact to be sidered that a large part at least of the ining army comes from Turkish territory. The rdish chiefs are at no time very submissive to Sultan; but they would scarcely dore to act. a such violent independence unless they had d reason to believe that he had become too le to call them to account. When we rember, too, that the Arabs under Turkish rule e long been in a state of smouldering revolt. plain that the native States of Western Asia on on the verge of a great convulsion. Even he Kurdish raiders do confine themselves to China Traders' Insurance Company's Sharesnder on a great scale, they will have struck

sia a terrible blow. The example will not be on Humz Aga's neighbours and kinsmen. oad will follow inroad—at first for plunder, then for conquest. pdeed, we are afraid the best hope for Persia hat the barbarian invader who ends the lining agony of corrupt States should appear and soon. It has been the invariable rule in ta that when a country fell into the condition | China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$255 Persia at this moment (and Persia is the most to and most miserable State in all the world princes and people alike), it was invaded and barons but more healthy. The process is ended with immense temporary sufferingich is, after all, only a magnified form of what y habitually endure at the hands of their ers; but it is generally followed by improved ministration. The new despot will be a barian and rule with a rod of iron; but he will be a man of parts and energy. He will shear h of business to allow a horde of inferior extloners to fleede them and so indirectly rob treasury. Besides, there is always the chance at the man who has been educated in the rld, and has fought his way to the throne, will ve sense supurh to understand that the prosity of the subject means the greatness of the nce: which is just what Oriental monarchs ined in a zenana fall to comprehend. It is the Grence between a Gaikwar of Baroda thinking nothing but dancing-girls and jewels, and ru ruler of men like Runjest Sing. It may be too much to expect that any of the urdish chiefs now plundering the land they bably hope one day to rale are the equals of e great Sovereign of the Punjaub; but lesser n than he have founded klugdoms. The optubity is very tempting, for it is obvious that e present state of things in Perslaand Mesoponia caunot last much longer. These countries slowly expiring under their present Governnts; and to save them the only alternative is igorous foreign Government, which can come t in one of two ways -the rise of a new Oriendespotism or European conquest. The renoration of the East by Western civilization along been seen to be to be a dream. Friendly ercourse between the two means the addition European vices to Asiatic corruptions, and the in of native art and industry. Europe never as any good in the East except by conquering governing. This alternative may follow of gree; they who think it will, and that before ng, have much to say for themselves; but, on e whole, the best hope for the people in question At some vigorous chief, able to rely on the port of a race which has not lost the virtues barbarism, should arise to profit by the disinteation of Turkey and the prostration of Persia. nat such a chief should be a Kurd is fleither possible nor even improbable. "They are a race robbers, it is very true; but so were and are e Tartars, Tarks, and Arabs; and yet all three ve founded great States and produced great lers. The history of the world is full of inmoes of races which, after vegetating for cenries on the borders of more civilized peoples, ve suddenly developed an aggressive ambition. e will and the capacity to rule. There is evi-

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Butterfield & Swire ..... On or about 11th inst. Butterfield & Swire ..... On or about 16th inst. Buttorfield & Swire ..... On or about 26th just. Butterfield & Swire ..... On or about 1st prox. P. & O. S. N. Co..... On 15th inst., at 4 P.M. Quick despatch. Vorel & Co. Voxel & Co. Quick despatch-Arnhold, Karberg & Co.... Quick despatch. Carlowitz & Co....... Quick despatch. Russell & Co..... Quick despatch. Ressell & Co. Quick despatch. Yogral & Co. ..... Quick despatch. O. & O. S. Go. ..... On 13th inst., at 3 P.M. O. & O. B. Co. On 28th inst.; at 3 P.M. Russell & Co Quick daspatch. Gibb, Livingston & Co ..... Quick despatch, Messagories Maritimes..... On 22nd inst. at Noon. Remedies & Co..... Quick despatch. Remodios & Co..... On 11th inst., at 4 P.M. Mossagories Maritimes..... Quick despatch; Mitsu Bishi Mail S. Co. ... On 11th inst., Daylight P. & O. S. N. Co..... On 15th inst., Daylight Adamson, Bell & Co. ..... Quick despatch. Butterfield & Swire ..... To-day, at Noon. Siemssen & Co.... To-day, at 4 P.M. Mossigeries Maritimes.... Quick despatch. P. & J. S. N. Co... Quick despatch. Douglas Lapraik & Co..... On 12th inst., Daylight Russell & Co. To-day, at 6 P.M.

FOR PREIGHT APPLY TO

INSURANCES. T ONDON & STAFFORDSHIEF FIRE NOTICE.

COMPANY. LIMITED. Agents for the above Corporation, are CAPITAL ..... Two MILLIONS STEELING. The Undersigned are prepared to ISSUE Policies at current rates, payable either here, POLICIES covering FIRE RISKS at current

INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED

STAFFORDSHIRE FIRE INSURANCE

HITHERTO CALLED THE .

in London, or at the principal Ports of India, rates. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 27th August, 1880.

CCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE

COMPANY. FIRE AND LIFE. INSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduction in Premia for Live Insurance in China. MEYER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 3rd June, 1879.

NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG. TITHE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT IN SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on firstclass risks at current rates.

MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman. M. W. Boyd, Esq. | Ww. Meykrink, Enq. THE Undersigned having been appointed A. Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

> Hongkong, 9th November, 1868. LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM this date, until further notice a discount of Twenty per cent. (20°/.) upon the

current local rate of Premia will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Company, DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Subject to a charge of 12% for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the Propies of the Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. tributed among all Contributors of Business in TRANSATLANTIU FIRE INSURANCE

NUIE Undersigned, having been appointed A .. Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Risks against Fire at Current TIBE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, Rates, subject to a Bonus of 20 per cent. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. Will Undersigned have been appointed

AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD of UNDERWRITERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. DECORD of AMERICAN and FOREIGN

SHIPPING. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

ROM this date, until further notice, a dis-C - count of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon the Current Local Rates of Promia will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 27th June, 1872.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are pro-Contributory Dividends are PAYABLE TO ALL pared to grant Insurances as follows :-MARINE BISKS. Policies at Current Rates, payable either here,

in London, or at the principal ports of India. Australia, and the East. A BROKERAGE OF THUCTY-THREE and ONE-TRIED PER CENT. will be allowed on all LOCAL FIRE RISKS. Policies granted on First-class Buildings to

an extent of \$20.000. A DISCOUNT of TWENTY PER CENT. (20%) upon the Current Local Rates will be allowed on OF WHICH IS PAID-UP ... £100,000 Sterling. all-premium charged-fer insurance; such dis. FYTHE A1 American Ship count being deducted at the time of the issue RUSSELL & Co.,

Agouts, Hougkang, 1st January, 1874 TOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBT

Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the THIAE Al American Schooner ... OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in POLICIES AGAINST FIRE to the Hongkong Harbour :extent of 45,000 Dollars on Buildings or on AONES MUIR, British ship, Lowe.-Carlowitz

ANNIE S. HALL, American 3-m. schooner, Nelвол. — Wieler & Co. Auguste, British 3-m. schooner, P. Thomsen. -Meyer & Co. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY BELLE OF OREGON, American bark, Merriman. Pillsbury, Master, will lead here for the above -Vogel & Co. BENEDICTA, German schooner, Jansen,-Wieler RESERVE FUND ..... \$34,132.21. CHANNEZ QUEEN, British bark, Le Lacheur.

Eduard Scholinass & Co.

Bangs,-Chong Wo.

CHARLES TOWNSEND HOOK, British steamer, Bradley. - Landstein & Co. CONQUEST. British steamer, Hamlin,-Chinese, DAGMAR, Danish brig, Paulsen,-Captain. E. M. Young, British bark, R. McMichen .-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. ESPERANCE, French bark, Le Normant, Carlowitz & Co. HATTIE N. BANGS, American 3-m. schooner,

HWAI-YUEN, Chinese steamer, O. Wilson,-C. M. S. N. Co. J. R. STANHOPE, American bark, Pillabury,-Russell & Co. MORAY, British steamer, Butcher. - Jardine, Ma theson & Co. OLDERIDGE, British bark, Babington.-Mel chars & Co. OTTO. British brig. Moch. - Landstein & Co. PENEDO, British steamer, J. Cain, -Geo. R.

-Stevens & Co. STAUT, Norwegian bark, T. Aschehong. - Siems Terron, German bark, Kollson -- Arnhold, Karberg & Co. VALPARAISO, American ship, Fellows. - Russell WALKYRE, German back, G. Wolters. - Eduard | 7 17 HE 5/6 L. 11 German Back Schollhass & Co.

WOODVILLE, British bark, L. Rodd. - Arnhold. Karberg & Co. YANGTSZE, British steamer, Schultze-Siems. Port, and will have quick despatch. веп & Сс. YUNG-CHING, Chinese steamer, Wallaco, -- O. M. 8. N. Co.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

TO BE DESPATORED

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. THE Company's Steamship

"VOLGA." Commandant Guirand, will be despatched for . YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 3rd December, 1880.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. THE Company's Steamship

Commandant Raputel, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 3rd December, 1880.

MESSRS. OLANO, LARRINAGA & CO.'S LINE OF SPANISH STEAMERS. FOR MANILA (DIRECT).

NHE Spanish Steamer "JORGE JUAN." Cantain Garro, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 11th instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Agents. Hongkong, 7th December, 1880 FOR MANILA (DIRECT). THE Spanish Steamer

"ROMULUS." Captain Tremova, will have immediate despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1880. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.

HE Steamship

"RADNORSHIRE," Davies, Commander, expected here on or about the 10th instant, will-have immediate despatch for the above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 7th December, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

"MENELAUS." Cantain J. Nicol. will be despatched on or about the 11th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 7th December, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL, THE Company's Steamship "ANCHISES."

Captain C. Jackson, will be despatched on or about the 16th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 7th December, 1880. FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE. Calling at other QUEENSLAND PORTS should

THE Eastern and Australian Steamship Company's Steamer "MENMUIR" will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

sufficient inducement offer).

Hougkong, 20th November, 1880. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. "VALPARAISO."

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 30th November, 1880. FOR NEW YORK.

Fellows, Master, will load here for the above

"CADET" Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to BUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 30th November, 1880. FOR NEW YORK.

THE Al American Bark "JOHN B. STANHOPE," Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to BUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 9th November, 1880.

FOR LONDON.

THE Al German Brig "CATHARINE." Bulling, Muster, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, 3rd December 1880. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE Al German Bark "CIVIALE." Captain Nissen, will load here for the above

Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, 24th November, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. THE Al American Bark

"BELLE OF OREGON," Merriman, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick dospatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, 16th November, 1880. [1787] FOR HAVRE AND LONDON.

"TRITON." Kollsen, Master, will load here for the above For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hougkong, 9th November, 1880.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI, Calling in at Konn should inducement offer. THE P. A O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above places on WEDNES. Saturday, the 11th instant. DAY, the 15th instant, at DAYLIGHT A. MoIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 7th December, 1880.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL. PHEP. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship. "MIRZAPORE" will teave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the next English Muil A. MCIVER.

Superintendent Hongkong: 3rd December, 1880. FOR-HAVRE AND HAMBURG. HE Al British Ship

"AGNES MUIR" bows, Master, will loud here for the above Por and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to . CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 30th September, 1880.

MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP CO STEAM TO YOROHAMA, VIA KOBE.

SATURDAY, the 11th December, at Dax- as hitherto. Cargo received on board and Parcels at the

Office up to 6 P.M. of the 10th December. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 Freight. All Claims for Damage must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they | instant, with Mails for Jepan, San Francisco; will not be recognized. RATES OF PASSAGE.

To KOBE ..... Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15. To Youonama and Cabin, \$75. Steerage \$20. NAGASAKI. SHANGHAI, via Yo- Cabin \$120. Steerage \$40. SHANGHAI, vin KORE, Cabin \$95. Steerage \$30. A REDUCTION is made on RETURN

ABIN PASSAGES. Cargo and Passengers for Nagasaki will be ranshipped to the Shanghai Mail Stoomer For further Particulars, apply at the Com-

pany's Offices, No. 504, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 2nd December, 1880. OCCIDENTAL AND ORLENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

laking cargo and passengers TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES. MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA AND EUROPE:

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS. ANTLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "GAELIC" will be des-A. patched for San Francisco, vie Yokohama. Noon, Money Order Office closes. on MONDAY, the 18th December, 1880, at 2 P.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of THREE P.M., to be followed by the Steamship "OCEANIC" on WEDNESDAY, 28th De. | 3 P.M., Mails closed, except for Late Letters.

Connection being made at Yokohama with Fee of 10 cents until Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. A REDUCTION of 25 % made on all RE. TURN PASSAGE ORDERS issued.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-For further information as to Freight or

CHAS. H. HASWELL, JUN. Hongkong, 9th December, 1880. STRAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE

GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA. N.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THEOUG BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PEESIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTS, HAM-BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "ANCONA." Captain E. G. STEAD, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, via BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th inst., at FOUR P.M. Cargo will be received on board until TEN A.M., Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until Noon on day of departure.

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transshipped at Point de Galle; Ten and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay [1675] without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Galle. For further Particulars, apply to

- A. McIVER, Superintendent, Hongkong, 3rd December, 1880. NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS STEAM FOR

ISMALIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES; BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND

DE GALLE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ

PORT LOUIS. N WEDNESDAY, the 22nd of December,

1880, at Noon, the Company's Steamshi "AMAZONE," Commandant LORMIER, wit MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon-

don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in Brown, Master, will load here for the above transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon, and Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels muli S P.M. on the 21st of December, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's

Office.) Contents and value of Packages are For further particulars, apply at the Com pany's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 9th December, 1880.

The Rev. B. G. SOPER, B.A. (London University), receives a limited number of Young GENTLEMEN at "The Grove," Hoylake, near A Sound Education is combined with home comforts and domestio care. Pleasant House

POUCATION IN ENGLAND.

TERMS.—60 GUINEAS DER ANNUM, exclusive of extras. Special Arrangements for the Heli days. Reference kindly permitted to R. C. WILCOX, Esq. NOTICE.

BINTING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION DAILY PRESS" OFFICE. Particular attention is given at this Establish ment to COMMERCIAL and GENERAL JOB

PRINTING, every description of which is executed N THE BEST STYLE SUCH PRICES as will bear.

Hongkons.

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P, and O, steamer Mirzapore, with the nert English mail, left Singapore at 8 A.M. on the 4th, and may be expected to arrive here on

POST-OFFICE NOTICES. The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always.

corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE

For Amoy and Shanghai. Per Glinicus, today, the 9th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai. Por Ningpo, to-day, the 9th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Holhow and Haiphong .- Per Esmeralda, to-day, the 9th instant, at 5 P.M. For Heihow and Haiphong .- Per Conquest, to-day, the 9th instant, at 5 P.M. For Japan, via Kobo. - Per Niigata Maru, to-

morrow, the 10th instant, at 5 P.M. For Manila.—Per Jorge Juan, on Saturday, the 11th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Japan, vid Nagasaki,-Per Sunda, on Wednesday, the 14th instant, at 5 P.M.

His Expellency the Governor is pleased to order, under Section XII, of the Post Office Ordinance, 1876, that the Late Fee charged on Correspondence posted after certain hours for THE "NIIGATA-MARU," Captain Europe, America, the Australian Colonies, WALKER, will be despatched as above on Shanghai, &c., shall be 10 Cents, instead of 18

> MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet "GAELIC" will be despatched on MONDAY, the 13th the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-2.15 P.M. Registry ceases.

2.30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Letters for Union Countries may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies Paraguay cannot be sent by this route.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet "ANCONA" will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 15th instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burman, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australasian Colonies.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "AMAZONE" will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, via Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (vià Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL. - DAY OF DEPARTURE.

all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.10 P.M., Letters may be posted with Late 3.30 P.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to 3.40 P.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the Pocket with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure.

> THE FRENCH MAIL. TUESDAY-5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. WEDNESDAY

A.M., Post Office opens.

10 a.m., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, 11 a.m., Mail closes, except for Late Letters.
No. 37, Queen's Road Central. 11.10 a.m., Letters may be posted with Late F 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely.

11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 18 Cents until time of departure.

REGULATIONS AS TO SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS'\_ 1.—Privates in H.M. Army, or Navy, Noncommissioned Officers.\* Army Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) or School. mistresses may send half-ounce letters to the

United Kingdom via Brindisi or via Naples at the rate of four cents (twoponce) each, which may be prepaid either in Imperial or in Hongkong Stamps. 2.—The same privileges apply to letters addressed to the Privates and Non-commissioned Officers named above.

3.-All such letters prepaid at the rate of two cents (one penny) will be forwarded to or from the United Kingdom by private steamer and not y the mail packets. 4.—Private steamers leave Hongkong for London about every ten days, and are from six to seven weeks on the voyage. 5.—The letters must not exceed half an ounce.

No handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., can be sent even with the ends open. 6.—If from a Soldier or Sailor his class and description must be stated in full on the letter. the cover of which must be signed by the Commanding Officer, with name of regiment, ship

7.—If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class and description, with name of regiment, ship, &c., must be stated in full. 8.—Poldiers and Sailors have no privileges with regard to books or papers, nor can these be prepaid with Imperial Stamps. SALGUN, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT

\* But not Warrant Officers, viz :- Assistant Engineer, Gunner, Boatswain, or Carpenter. TEA MUSTERS. Persons who send Musters of Tea through the Post in Tins are requested to have them

made flat or square instead of round, as it is impossible to pack round tins securely in the mail bags. It is believed that the tea will travel more safely in flat tins, which are not so liable as round ones to be bulged in. 4 by 3 by 11 inches is suggested as a good size. The time should not have sharp corners. Many boxes of letters are received at the Post

Office not sealed, that is to say, the box is fastened with sealing wax, but there is no impression of a seal. The attention of boxholders is called to the necessity of carefully sealing such boxes with some recognisable seal, and of sending a chitbook or receipt with them. The omission of the latter precaution leaves a doubt as to whether the contents of the box ever reached the Post Office; the emission of the former, as to whether part of them might not have been abstracted for the sake of the Postage Stamps.

LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING ..... When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not notified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the letters in the ordinary way, marked with the name of the ship, and prepaid 8 cents por half ounce as usual. The Post Office then undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of departure and despatching the correspondence. It and Grounds, in a nost houlthy locality at the is requested that the letters be posted if possible at least one day before the date fixed for sailing.

AND INTERCOLONIAL MONEY ORDERS. 1.—The Post Office of Hongkong issues Money Orders on the Empire of Japan. New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia and Port Darwin, the Straits Settlements, and Western Australia. 2.—Money Orders may also be obtained at the British Post Office, Shanghai, on any of the

above places except Japan. 3.-The exchange of Local Money Orders between Hongkong and Shanghai continues as heretofore, subject to the rates laid down in the pext paragraph. 4-The Commission to be charged on all Money Orders named above is follows:-

For a sum not exceeding 45 or \$25... 25 Cents. From £5 to £10, or \$25 to \$50...... 50 Cents. 5.-No Order must exceed £10 or \$50, nor will more than two such Orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail.

6.—Sums not exceeding 350 may be remitted between the other Ports of China by means of "DAULY PRESS" OFFICE Postage Stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent for cashing them.

go into the army, he might possibly be in red's regiment, and then won't we bully him !" weet is revenge, especially to women I

fallibly fall into the hands of the first deterited assailant who has a few thousand trustorthy fighting men at-his-back, It is, of urse, impossible to forecast the details of the raggle which is apparently beginning; but ere is no reason to doubt that, European interntion apart, things will follow the familiar urse of Oriental history. If the result is to tablish a new and at least temporarily vigorous onarchy, we may well be content. It is, hower, doubtful whether things will be allowed to so far without the intervention of Russia; ad then it will be hard to say who or what may llow. The Anglo-Turkish Convention was aggested by the extreme probability that, after e Russian occupation of Kars, Catherine's

at a great military gathering, the lovely lished, each particular rouge of the social ladder. Europeans residing in China, and to the natives purpose. "Oh," answered the lady dreamily, quarto pages. with the manner of one contemplating the

EXTRACTS.

THE RETURN OF APHRODITE. Deep in Cythera a cave, Pealing a thunderous prean Roars, as the chivering wave Whiteha the purple Ægean; There to astonish the globe, Terrible, beautiful, mighty, Clad with desire as a robe,

Rose Aphrodite. Never again upon earth Like her arose any other; Got without labour or birth, Sprang without father or mother; Zous from his adry home. Seeing the reseate water Lift her aloft on its foam,

Hailed her his daughter. Sweet was her shape, and is now Sweeter the breath of her kisses Delicate ivery brow; Wealth of ambrosial tresses : Mouth that no favour donies;

Cheek that no ardonr abashes Languishing eyelide and eyes Languishing lashes. Seeing her luminous face Shine as the ocean that bere her, Every nation and raco

Worshiped her, falling before her Chaplets they sulled for her fame, Fairer than any can call us; Greece gave her Sappho's refrain, Rome her Catallas.

Soft was the sound of their lyre, Lucious their lay without cloying, Till, as a billow of fire, . Crushing, consuming, destroying, Wasting her wines in their spleen Spilling her coatly coametics, Swept the implacable, lean Horde of proofice.

Darkness they spread over earth, Sorrow and fasting of faces : Mute with the music of mirth. Hushed with the chorus of graces Back to the womb of the wave, Terrible, beautiful, mighty. Back with the boons that she gave, Sank Aphrodite.

Down the abyeses of time Rolled the unchangeable ages. Reft of the glory of rhyme, Graven in passionate pages; Sad was the medspre, and cold, Dead to the language of kisses; Sadly the conturies rolled . Down the abyeses.

Now in the ends of the earth Tenderer singers and awester, Smit with a ravening dearth, Cry on the goddess and great her, Cry with their rapturous eyes - Fisshing the fire of emotion ; Call her again to rise

Fresh from the ocean. Hot as of old are their songs, Bresthing of odorous trosses, Murmur of amourous tongues, Ardone of fervid caresses; Trilled with a tremulous mouth Into the ser of the comer, Warm as the breath of the South Soft as the Summer. Upon the depth of the wave.

Hearing their passionate numbers, Pleroing her innermost cave, Waken her out of her slumbers, Soothed with the sound of their strain, Beautiful, merciful, mighty, Back to the nations again Comes Aphrodite.

CONTRAST BETWEEN ITALY AND

When I traverse the plains of Central Italy, so bare, so and, and yet so fertile, zerland. What a contrast ! Call to mind. for instance, the neighbourhood of Listhal. poses of irrigation. There are no ruts or Cashmere goat. adorned in a manner to satisfy man's wants, of Napoleon's way of thinking, and the Greeks, while it also delights his eyes. The dreath too, though they had their own ideal nose, of rural life has been realised in the most were very strongly of opinion that a good attractive form. All this is the work of a deal of importance attached to the shape of democratic division of property (propriété the organ, and so were the Jews also. The democratique). Bare and desolate plains, legal prohibition from the priesthood against where the farmer dies of hunger in the finest will persons with flat noses, notwithstanding of climates, and on the most fertile of soils that they might be of the tribe of pricate, - such is the result of Lati-Cundia. Oh, was no doubt only in accordance with a poyou economists who are partisans of large pulse prejudice by which the sacred office properties, visit the interior of the Basilicate | would have been degraded in the judgment or of Sicily, and you will see the degree of of the people by the admission to it of those misery to which it reduces the land and the who were thus malformed. "This prejudice Tombardy the food of the agricultural la. pened to possess the very nose which his bourers is so insufficient that the excessive countrymen aphorred—the flat nose with a use of maize flour produces a kind of leprosy reflex tip. That particular form of the (per diem). What he ate- Bread moistened tour over any other.

CLAM FISHING IN THE PACIFIC. Horace seems to regard the short nose, with In diving for clams (as in octopus diving) | a little town-up at the end, as the mark of a it is usual to provide onesolf with a sharp- person given a good deal to jibing and jourpointed stake or an iron rod. At Aitutaki, ing. Martial calls it the rhinoceros nose, and when the tide is out, clams are picked up says that it was highly fashionable in his day. everywhere on the reef. At Manke men dive everybody affecting this kind of probosois as for them on the ocean side of the parrow an indication of a satirioal humour. The "anfringing reef when the sea is smooth. On gular" nose, as Grose calls it, is the long, reaching the bottom the diverstabs the gap- clearly cut, pointed organ, and was, no doubt, ing clain, which for the mollage is very the type to which Horace alludes when he tenacious of life at once firmly grasps the says that it is indicative of satirical wit. The wenpon. The diver now tugs away with both " pairrot book" is the nose with which Mr. hands until the clam is dislodged. A couple Punch usually adortis his caricature of the of expert natives with a canoe will get as Sultan or Khedive, and is akin to the typical many as a hundred in a day when a feast is Jewish note all over the world. The eight Engin in proparation. At Manihiki and Bakaanga types given embrace every description of the the largest clams are about two spans in feature, and students of cariculure are Gree length, the animal itself being sufficiently strongly recommended in the treatise alluded Grey large to gatisfy the hunger of three persons. to make themselves perfectly familiar with the Gro Clam-diving is woman's work in those atolls. simple lines by which these curiously com-Yot it is surprising how few accidents occur. prehensive sketches are effected. The reason for this may be, they dive in A very singular fact has been observed comparatively shallow water. Not long since with regard not so much to the shape of the a native was feeling about at the bottom of nose as to the settling of it in the face, so to the lagoon of one of the Panmotu atolls for speak. To be strictly correct from the artist's the dark-edged pearl oyster, when he un- point of view, the unse should be accurately fortunately inserted the fingers of his left in the middle of the face, and at right angleshand between the valves of a clam. The with a line from the rupil of one eye to that diver was instantly made prisoner by the of the other. As a matter of fact, it is hollow just adapted to its size, he could not square," and the fact of its being so is of drowning, he cut off his four fingers with and piquancy to the face. A medical the knife pearl divers carry with them, and writer points out that there are anatomical rose to the surface a sadder, if not a wiser reasons why a slight deviation from the speediest mode of rescue is to sever the bun- little to the right or left .- Globe. dle of silky filaments by which it moors itself. On a neighbouring island, ere this could be done, the forefinger of the right band of a clam diver was lopped off, Brought ashore in baskets, they live for some time. Children in their play are apt to put their fingers between the open valves, and so get caught. Their screams soon bring their parents to the rescue, which is effected by atabblug the clant through the cavity for the byseus. The supply of clams in the Pacific is inexhaustible. If a party of divers should recrove all the large ones from any particular

tonga, in the Leisure Hour.

locality for a grand feast and should return

next year to the same spot, no difference

would be percoived, so rapid is the growth of

the clam in these warm waters. Pearls of

peculiarly brilliant hus are occasionally found

in the clam .- Rev. W. Wyatt Gill, of Raro-

. " The most prominent feature of the face," says an unknown writer, " seems to be erected as a sign on which was to be represented the particular kind of wars that was to be disposed of within doors." This idea has prevailed very extensively, and sometimes has been turned to practical account, as for instance when it was proposed that the right sort of men for an agreeable club might be got together by making the length of the nose the test of membership. The long nose has, from time immemorial, been regarded as an indication of a meek and patient disposition, and one out-and-out believer in the idea finds in the remarkable length of the stephant's snout an inder of the placidity and docile temper of the animal. Napoleon preference for men with "plenty of nose is well knewn. It is said, though probably with some exaggeration of truth, that if, be wanted a particularly dashing thing done be would always entrust the undertaking to a man with large mass development. If this is really the truth it would be curious know, if it were possible to do so, how far his preference was the result of his own personal experience of men, or was unconsciously based on his well-known admiration of Julius

The black-eyel Roman with The eagle's beak between those eyes which ne'er conductor, or looked along

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good condition. How is it that he can en crops of other kinds. However this may so unfailing, that He never turned a deaf car. dure such fifth beneath his windows, into be, the fact of Cicero's snub note may to their cry. He is the same new. The which the stench must enter whenever they no doubt be accepted; and it accords with poorest, the most vile, if they cry to Him, He are opened? It would seem that people here the traditional belief that this descript will in His great mercy belo them. What have not, as in the North, a passion for estion of nose is asually indicative of a fiery, love is His !- "Letters to My Children from Guy C. Goss Nov. 26 Reynold tablishing order and cleanliness around them, quick, imputuous temper, Cicero aving pos, the Holy Land,", with Illintrations, by Henry F. P. Litchfield

Lettres of Italie (1878.9)," by E, de Laveleye, seesed his characteristic in a market degree, Harper, in the Sunday at Home.

mollusc. His agony was intense. Was it rarely or never found thus placed. It possible to get free? As the clam was in a is almost invariably a little out of "the sever the byssus. At length, in sheer terror often that which lends a peculiar expression man. A similar accident took place at Penture central line may be expected, and that rhyn; but the diver, instead of maining him- the nose which is thus accurately straight self for life, forced his knife between the val- between the two eyes may be considered an ves, and released himself. Should the clam abnormal one, and that the only absolutely wi be attached to a smooth bit of coral, the correct organ is that which thus deviates a

> THE LATE M. OFFENBACH AND THE EVIL EYE.

A curious story is told, say a contemporary of the late M. Offenbach. It is said that a very large number of persons believed he had the evil eye, the terrible Jettattura of the South of Italy. The well-known poet and critic, Theodore de Banville, whom an admirer in the Nineteenth Century recently styled the "illustrious de Banville," is said to have always carefully avoided mentioning the name of M. Offenbach in any of his articles for Dan fear of evil consequences. The story may not. Ele be true, but the more fact that it is a curious | Fok example of the power of this strange supersti- Gae tion. In all southern countries, and in all countries where southern blood is strong. Japa some measure of belief in the evil eye is always to be found, and it has been made the Ma subject of all manner of stories and romances. Na But it certainly does seems as if M. Offen- Nii bach was the last person likely to possess the Nin fatal quality of evil eye. It would indeed Oxe be an odd freak of fate to couple with such Pea gifts of amusement as M. Offenbach posses- Pen sed the awful power of Jettattura. It is not Pou easy to imagine the author of "La Belle Hélène" casting a very haleful influence upon Yot anything except a classic story, or the com- Yu poser of the music of " Madame Favart" havng the disagreeable gifts of the hero of one of Theophile Gautier's most unpleasant tales.

A RIVAL FOR OLD PARR

A correspondent publishes the following An parious paragraph which he found pasted in Au a book at the British Museum :- Extract of Be a letter from Penrhyn, dated February 10th, B. 1757 .- "You cannot expect much news from Ca this desolate part of the world, but what there Can is I always send you. About four days ago Co died, two miles from my house, one Jonathan | Ch Effingham, aged 144 years. A little account Ch of this surprising man will not, I dare say, Ch be disagreeable. He was born here in the reign of King James I., of very poor parents, and was bred as a labourer. In the revolu- E tion against James II. he was pressed and Es served under Lord Foversham, then com- Fa mander-in chief of the forces, for several Fo years. On King William coming to England Go be served under General Schomberg, and was | G. & Marie present at the memorable battle of the Boyne, Hansa H. N. Bangs where he behaved with such intropidity and The fact that Jolius Cosar had a pro- courage that he was made a corporal, having Importer often think of the country districts of Swit. minent and booked "beak" would be quite received four wounds in the battle. He con- J. J. Stanbone enough to originate in Napoleon's mind a tinued a soldier under Queen Anne, and tuln favourable opinion of such a nose in all fought, under the Duke of Marlborough at Marie Alfred near Basie. What a delightful landscape others, and we may be sure that his respect the formous battle of Blenhelm, and lost an Oldbridge What a lovely idyll! The farmer lives in a for "plenty of nose" would not be diminished eye and most of his teeth by the bursting of Orion large chalet, where each inmate has a room in any degree by the fact that his great ad- a musket. He was discharged unfit at the Otto nicely furnished. In the windows are gera- versary himself had just such masal develop- beginning of King George I.'s reign. He S. American niums, pinks, and fuchsias. All around sup. ment as seems to have been the turbulent returned to Penrhyn, and worked as a Stant plies of wood and hay. In front, a little Frenchman's beau ideal. It was, in fact, the labourer. For the last thirty years he was Triton garden where vegetables and flowers grow "beak" of the eagle and others of the rap- kept by charitable contributions of neigh- Valparaiso together. Then there is the orchard, where, loves, and has usually been supposed to in- bouring gentry. It is very remarkable that Walkyre beneath the shade of the fruit trees, milch dieste the possession of some of the charac- he was never ill for the last forty years. The Woodville cows are feeding. Further on are the fields, teristics of the bird of prey-boldness and reasons he gave for living so long were, that where, by varied and therefore incessant unscrupulous dash, and energy. Another as a young man he never drunk spirituous labour, four or five different products are instance is that of the great seldier, Sir liquors, and when old he rose every morning. gathered. On the hillside is the forest of Charles Napier, whole statue adorns Trafal summer and winter, went to the next field, Sea Gull beeches and fire furnishing wood for burning | gar Square. He was described by his many out a turf, and smelt of Mother Earth for and for building. All the roads are maca. Indian admirers as possessing the eye of the some time. He used constant exercise, and damised, and all the streams sluided for pur. leagle, the nose of a hawk, and the beard of a seldom ate meat. He was to the last a very Hermine cheerful companion, and walked ten miles the weeds. Nature has been subdued and The Romans generally seem to have been week before he died. The loss of his company will be much lamented by all the gentry." Hwai-yuon

Kinng Ping. LEPERS IN SYRIA. These meniare poor lepers. You see they are seated by the roadside; they are begging; holding out their hands; one at the end is beating his breast, wailing for belp. They have little tin cans near them; these are for Spark people to drop money in. The very dogs snarl White Cloud at them; they are alone, no one goes near them. This is a true picture of some lepers I saw in the Holy Land; it was at a village called Ramleh. That is a very pretty place; people. Nowhere in Europe, except in Russia, the Greeks shared fully, and it was no doubt it is situated on the plain of Sharon. There is there greater misery than in Italy In very unfortunate for Socrates that be hap is the beautiful plain, and behind that, far Gustav away, are the mountains of Israel. These | Martha poor men are so afflicted they cannot enjoy Occar Mooyer any of the beauty. The view in that neighthe Pellagra. In the Rouragua they are organ, it will be remembered, was pronounced bourhood was so lovely I had my tents placed covered with rags and live in holes, when in the presence of the philosopher to be the that I might paint a large picture but these they are not decimated by fevers. In the nose of an impudentand licentions drunkard, poor people came near, sat down, and kept country districts of the southern provinces, and Socrates admitted that that, naturally, crying out all day long, "Oh, sirl good gentleand in Sicily, their condition is so pitiable would have been his true character. The man! take pity upon us poor lepers! Give Brids that they prefer to take refuge in the ideal Greek nese was straight, and in a direct us money, good gentleman." I gave them Chloris mountains and become brigands. At Naples line with the forehead, and to them such a lot of allver money, and they went away. Cuba the poor are massed together in cellars nose as Socrates postessed would no doubt But the next day they did the same, and Hei-chong and in barracks, the horrors of which cannot bave been as ugly as it was indicative of though I gave them some money again they Helens be described. It is only in Tuscaux; in the moral obliquity. The perfect Roman nose, would not go away, but kept calling out just H. Bremer Emilin, and in Piedmont that the condition on the contrary, (was the aquiline, such as as before. Now, these people are not allowedof the working classes is better. "This Casar, Bonaparte, and Wollington possessed, to live anywhere they like; there are certain June afternoon," said Signor Visconti Venosta, "I but which certainly has not been the exclusive villages appointed by law where they may live, Lucky was walking in the Roman Campagna. A adornment of successful warriors. A grand but in no others, and when any poor per- Mary man was working at the road. I usked him collection of noses in profile would show or son is taken with this leprosy, he is driven out Oscar Vidal what he earned. He replied, 'One franc') very striking predeminance of any one con- of his own village, and made to live in one or Solidother of the places appointed by law. People Willie with clear water. That is hard. From Francis Grose, in his appendix to Hogarth's drive them out with stones; they must leave Rome to Sicily this is about what a day "Elements of Beauty," delineates eight typic their home and all they possess, and live only labourer earns. It is not enough, even cal noses: There is the angular; the aqui- with people diseased like themselves. "It is W. Siegfried in our beautiful climate." At Genzano, on line or Roman; the parrot's beak; the straight a terrible death in life." These poor people the banks of the Lake of Nemi, the Duke of or Grecian; the bulbous or bettled; the begging all day, as I have said, made me at Sforza-Cesariny has a superb palace, and in a turned up or saub; and the mix dor broken. last so nervous that I could not go on with good condition—a very rare thing. The Of the latter, by the way, the noses of at my work, so I had the tents packed up and park is a very Eden. It descends by steep least two illustrious men may be taken as put on mules, and with my men got on horses slopes covered with the finest trees to the illustrations. Tycho Brabe and Michael and galloped away. Another time, walking shores of the lake-Diana's ancient mirror. Angelo, the latter of whom owed his ungrace- with two friends in Jerusalem near the place Atothe side of the palace you pass beneath ful appendix to a violent blow from a come where the poor lepera live, they came out of a marble areads and penetrate into a lane, panion with whom he was variance, and who their little houses, wailing, crying for money. Lady Douglas dark, slimy, frightful—a mere sewer. It is thus disfigured the great artist for life, and and holding up their hands for us to see, for called the Gorso! Several houses in ruins instantly fled. To these may be added the this terrible disease destroys the hands and and full of filth are veritable cosspools, and orator Cicero, upon whom nature seems to have feet and otherwise disfigures the poor sufin some hideous buildings human beings are bestowed a nasal organ of a type decidedly ferers. The sight was so horrible that we found living. Pigs would become leprous "mixed," if not broken. 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Iltis	German gunboat	8	420	Commander Klansa	Shan
Kerguelen	French frigate	6	250	Captain Mathieu	Hong
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Prince Pogarsky	Rassian corvette	11.	250	Captain Gitkoff	Vladi
Rasboynik	American frigate	111	800	Captain Benham	Kobe
Richmond	Russian corvetto		10 mm	Captain Walitsky	on rou
Shomtchug	Kassian gunboat	7	80	Commander Boyle	Vladi
Bobol Btrelok	Russian corvette	9	700	Commander Delivron	Vladi
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Wolf	German gunboat	4	340	Commander Becks	Shan
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